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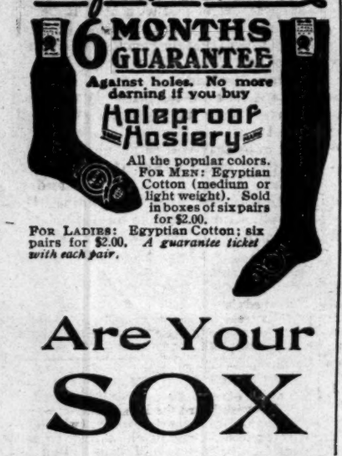
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FIGHTS A MANIAC.

Poised in the grasp of a maniac over the rail of the Auditorium tower, in Chicago, about to be hurled to the street, a young girl looked into the face of death Saturday afternoon. Almost 600 feet below, men and women in Michigan avenue saw the sudden apparition of the two at the edge of the parapet and stood helplessly awaiting the end. They saw someone rush to the edge and drag the man and the girl back. Faintly borne to them, came the shrieks of the lunatic as he fought to retain hold of his victim.

While they watched, a desperate battle was raging on the tower, and it ended only when the maniac, having succeeded in throwing the girl down the narrow stairs leading from the pinnacle of the tower, was overpowered by five men who came to the aid of the first rescuer.

The insane man was J. E. Shilling, of Lagrange, and the girl was his daughter, Maria Shilling, 21 years old. Shilling recently was released from the insane asylum at Kankakee. He again became violent, and relatives intended to return him to the asylum. Saturday morning he pleaded to be allowed to go to Chicago to pay his life insurance premium. He was allowed to go, with his daughter as an escort. After paying the life insurance he said he wished to go to the Auditorium tower to view Chicago.

On reaching the tower, Miss Shilling approached the railing and stood gazing out over the lake. Her father seated himself near the wall. He remained thus a few moments, looking idly about, then arose stealthily and crept toward the girl whose back was turned. Uttering a cry he sprang upon his daughter, seizing her around the waist. With maniacal strength he thrust her above his head. There he held her while she shrieked for help. Well over the balustrade, her fate seemed certain. Before Shilling could disengage her grasp from his shoulders, however, one of the men who had heard his cry and the girl's screams dragged him back from the parapet.

There are many imitations of DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve but just one original. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

AMBUSHED BY MOONSHINERS.

George F. Peters was shot and instantly killed on Runnet-Bag creek, near Roanoke, about two miles from Endicott postoffice, on Saturday. He had taken a load of apples to some one near Nowlins Mills and was returning with his ox team and a load of lumber. When the fatal shot was fired he was between the homes of the Widow Martin and J. R. Sims. The dead body was found about one hour after the shooting by Mr. J. M. Spencer, an aged Confederate veteran.

Squire Thomas, acting coroner, held an inquest. It is very doubtful whether anyone will be arrested for the crime or not, as the murderer was hid on the mountainside in an ivy and laurel thicket with the original forest timber on, perhaps 100 acres of land.

Deepest sympathy goes out to his wife, who is almost helpless, and his little children, besides father, mother, brother and several sisters.

Peters was accused of being a revenue informer and was the victim of a moonshiner. He is the sixth person killed for informing on moonshiners.

Peters was instrumental some months ago in arresting Jim Jones for killing a man named Gallaspie in that section, and also for arresting George McAlexander, now serving a term of 18 years in the Virginia penitentiary for killing a man named Shively.

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SHAVES 2 MEN AT SAME TIME.

Two men were shaved at one time in one barber chair Saturday night by Barber Wright, at Milton, Del. When he called "next" two men made for the chair and crowded into it together. Without the least hesitation Wright slapped the lather on both faces, and while rubbing it on one man's face started to shave the other man with his other hand.

Both men grasped the novelty of the situation, and allowed the work to continue.

Shaving each man with alternate strokes, he was soon combing one man's hair with his left hand while his right hand was drying the other fellow's face. Both were satisfied.

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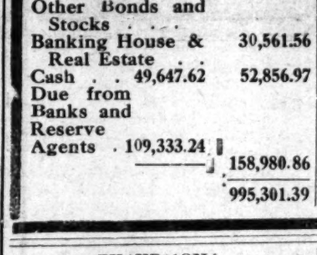

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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 31, 1908.

THE government of Holland has received the second note from Venezuela defending Castro's course in dismissing De Reus, the Dutch minister. It holds that the action was based upon personal grounds, and did not contemplate any loosening of the friendly ties between the two nations. Nevertheless, the note declares that so long as satisfaction is not given for the offenses of De Reus, for the failure of the Dutch warship to salute the Venezuelan flag and for the desecration of the consulate at Curacao and the attack on the consul there, friendly relations between the two nations cannot be maintained. The Netherlands government now asks France to co-operate in the present affair with Venezuela. The English government is also considering the proposition.

GEN. A. P. STEWART died yesterday at Biloxi, Miss., where he went from Chattanooga about three months ago, hoping that the climate would prove beneficial. Gen. Stewart was in his eighty-seventh year and was one of the two last lieutenant generals of the Confederate army. General Buckner is now the only ex-lieutenant general of the Confederate army now living. Like a lone oak in a clearing, the latter has lived to see his conferes one by one pay the debt of nature. While ex-Confederate generals have long since become few and far between, the rank and file is also being depleted yearly. Their memories, however, and the cause for which they battled will ever remain green in southern hearts.

THE news being received at democratic headquarters both in New York and Chicago is most encouraging while that received at the republican headquarters is by no means satisfactory. The republicans are certainly alarmed and many of their newspaper organs admit that they have no walk over in the approaching election That they are apprehensive of losing some of the northern and western states is made plain by the efforts they are putting forth to break the solid south and to this end they are soon to flood this section with speakers and money. In this move it is said Mr. Roosevelt is displaying keen interest—but he "butts in" in everything.

THE sun shone out brightly in Augusta, Ga., yesterday and the people of that city, putting aside everything else, began straining every energy to the work of helping the sufferers. Prominent men who make up the advisory and relief committee, the Board of Charities, the Associated Charities, the Salvation Army and King's Daughters are working hand in hand. The work is herculean but the people with commendable pluck and energy are doing all in their power to set things right again. This is true also of the people throughout the recently flooded districts in the south.

THE REPUBLICANS of this, the Eighth, congressional district met in this city today and with few preliminaries nominated Mr. J. W. Gregg, of Loudoun county, as their man of straw to be knocked down next November by Congressman C. C. Carlin. The republicans of this district have no chance whatever of electing their candidate, and so long as Congressman Slemp, of the Ninth district, is the dispenser of government patronage throughout the State the "honor" conferred upon Mr. Gregg is an empty one.

WITH a big display headline the New York Tribune announces that "prosperity is here" and adds that a Chicago bank canvass finds the only discordant note in railroads. The Tribune must have a poor opinion of the intelligence of its readers if it really thinks they believe any such thing.

UNDER the new code of Pennsylvania, lawyers must pledge themselves not to defend clients from the lawful consequences of their guilt. As soon as this is inforced, says the Philadelphia North American, there will be a lot of fellows looking for jobs on the street cars.

THE Japanese government forced to economize, has cut the army and navy budget $100,000,000 and postponed the proposed exposition. This should put a stop to the talk by the jingoes of war between Japan and the United States.

THERE is a persistent report in steel circles that the long-expected merger of the Republic Iron and Steel Company with the steel trust is about to become a fact. When this takes place then look for another advance in prices.

A NEW LAW in New York which goes into effect tomorrow makes it a felony to operate a bucket-shop, so those places of business will probably be closed there.

Some of the sailors from the president's yacht Sylph, stationed at Oyster Bay, failed to get admittance to a dancing pavilion at Oyster Bay when they went there in uniform Saturday night.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Aug. 31.

The State Department has received word from United States Minister Dodge at Tegucigalpa of the arrest at Launion, Salvador, of Francis Mooney, said to be an American citizen, in company with a Salvorean and with suspicious papers which are alleged to indicate his connection with a revolutionary movement against Honduras. According to the terms of the central American peace agreement of last December, Mooney will be tried at the capital of Salvador.

The cruiser Prairie sailed today from New York for Annapolis, to receive there nearly 600 enlisted men who have been attached to the practice squadron of the naval academy. The men will later be distributed at Norfolk, Philadelphia and New York.

Senator Clay, of Georgia, today requested by telegraph that the War Department detail an army engineer to investigate the condition of the river at Augusta, with a view of relieving present flood conditions.

Announcement was made today that President Roosevelt had approved the plans for the new battleships Florida are Utah, appropriation for which was made at the last session of Congress. His acceptance of the Navy Department's plans without change, is taken to indicate his disfavor of certain features of construction criticized by Commander W. S. Sims and Lieutenant Commander Albert L. Key whose advice he sought in the matter and who were inclined to criticize some of the new features. The Utah is to be built by a private yard, and it is expected that specifications will shortly be made public. The Florida is to be built at the government yard in Brooklyn.

Returning from an inspection of the coal mines of Wales and Belgium Representative Albert Douglas, of Ohio, said today that he found that their methods of operaton and the means taken to prevent accidents were far superior to those in vogue in the United States. "We can learn a great from these countries" he said especially concerning the prevention of accidents and of waste. The use of gunpowder, or any other explosive which causes ignition when touched off, is prohibited, and this alone is a preventive of accidents.

The Wright aeroplane which is to be bought for $25,000 by the government if it meets requirements has been assembled and its motor tried out. It will be given its first test flight on Wednesday or Thursday of this week at Fort Myer, Va., Orville Wright, who is to manipulate the craft is confident of success. Officers of the signal corps will attempt to make a flight in the Baldwin balloon across the Potomac river and around the Washington monument late today, if weather conditions are favorable.

Virginia News.

The sale of tobacco on the Lynchburg market during the past week aggregated 252 200 pounds, as compared with 63,900 during the week previous.

Richmond for the past two days has been infested with tramps, the majority of whom are thought to have been driven from the south by the recent floods.

The receivers of the Norfolk and Southern Railway have asked tentative bids for structural iron for its eight-mile bridge over Albemarle Sound, only one-half of a mile of which has thus far been erected.

Mrs. Nancy Addington, aged 68 years is dying at her home in Scott county as the result of wounds inflicted with a razor in an attempt to committ suicide. She slashed her throat while in a frenzy following a conversation on religion.

Mrs. Julia Jones, of King George county, aunt of Senator Rainer's wife, died on Saturday, aged 60. She was twice married, and is survived by five daughters, all of whom are married, and eleven grandchildren.

For writing a letter to a white woman in Richmond, a negro, formerly employed in one of the hospitals, was on Saturday given a term of one year in the city jail. The man wrote the letter and handed it to the girl while she was employed in the hospital.

Henry A. Smith died Friday at his home, near Airmont, Loudoun county, aged 78 years. He was a native of Montgomery county, Md., but resided in Leesburg since the war. He was a member of Company I, Thirty-third Virginia Regiment.

Mrs. Rhodes Archibald, wife of a well-known Bedford county farmer, was burned to death in her home Saturday night. She fell into an open fire place and when found by members of the family was in a dying condition. She was 63 years of age and had been in feeble health for a long time.

The Joe Kendall Camp of U. C. V. held a reunion at Bethel, near Warrenton, on Saturday. Rev. Dudley Powers made an address in the morning and Mr. Epps Hunton, jr., of Richmond, was the orator of the afternoon. A band furnished the music for the occasion, and the reunion was one of the largest ever held there.

As the first step toward endowing a great Baptist university in the south, as he has done in the case of Chicago University in the north, John D. Rockefeller, through the general education board of New York, has offered Richmond College Richmond, $150,000 on condition that the Baptists of the state raise an additional $350,000. The proposition has been accepted, and the effort to get this money will be pushed vigorously.

Ajax White Tiger, a full-blooded Indian, who last year figured in the 101 Ranch at the Jamestown Exposition, died in Richmond Saturday night. He is the man who married a white woman at Pine Beach last summer. His wife came with him to Richmond. Several weeks ago the man enlisted as a soldier, and went as a cook to Company C, Seventieth Virginia Regiment, to Chickamauga. Upon his return the inroads of consumption sent him to the hospital where he passed away.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Aug. 31.—After the first fifteen minutes the commission house buying appeared to be supplied, but the trading started buying Smelting, Amalgamated Copper, Steel preferred and Colorado Fuel, making Smelting cross par. After the first hour a reaction set in which forced some of the leaders down about a point from the highest at the opening.

All the coal mines in Wyoming have been closed and 7,000 men are idle because of the failure of the operators and representatives of the United Mine Workers to reach an agreement on the wage scale,

News of the Day.

L. R. Trumbull, of Barnardville, N. J., has published an account of his daughter's elopement under the obituary column.

One non-union man was assaulted and many gas street lamps were wrecked in New York last night by striking lamp lighters.

Harry Johnson, who was shot last Thursday by A. J. Fletcher, a prominent banker and merchant, died yesterday at Clarksburg, W. Va.

In a fight with a burglar yesterday Mary Janowitz, of New York, got the better of the man and sat on him until the officers arrived.

Walter T. Saveland, of Milwaukee, has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Edward Mackay, charging him with up his home. Mackay is a matinee idol.

Michael Clarke, probably the oldest liquor dealer in Washington, died at his home, 2103 L street northwest, yesterday, of pneumonia, after a brief illness.

Emperor William in a speech at Strasburg yesterday said he was convinced that there was no ground for fear of a disturbance of the peace of Europe.

Three robbers, after relieving Frank Monroe and Hazel Williams, his sweetheart, of their valuables in Chicago, yesterday, thrust a revolver into the young man's mouth and exploded a blank cartridge, seriously injuring him.

Samuel Manes, of New York, after trying to induce Mrs. Frances McCabe to elope with him, sought her out at her father's house Saturday and shot her three times. Manes was fatally injured by the woman's father.

Augusta and points in South Carolina are gradually recovering from the flood conditions. The death list in Georgia and South Carolina will reach sixty. Two thousand persons are homeless. The property damage is about $2,500,000.

Harry Stevens, aged 18, a student at the Pennsylvania Railroad school for telegraphers at Bedford, Md., was yesterday shot in the neck by George Cessna, aged 17, who playfully pointed a revolver at Stevens, thinking it was not loaded. His condition is serious.

The general clothing store of Benjamin Ferman and F. Goldstein, 530 Four-and-a-half street, southwest Washington, was wrecked by fire shortly after 8 o'clock last night. The building was damaged to the extent of about $100, and the loss to the contents is estimated at $3,000.

Alton Purtell, 26 years old, a private in the United States marine corps, detailed to special clerical duty at the corps headquarters in Washington, was asphyxiated by illuminating gas while asleep in his room at 1908 H street northwest, Saturday night. Coroner Nevitt is of the opinion the gas was turned on accidentally.

Richard Turner, who killed his wife and then shot his son at Sailor Springs, at Flora, Ill., a few weeks ago, yesterday committed suicide in jail at Louisville, where he had been confined. Insane jealousy caused the tragedy at Sailor Springs Turner mistaking his son in the darkness for an admirer of his wife from whom he had been separated, opened fire on both.

Governor Fort's Sunday closing proclamation was enforced at Atlantic City, yesterday, with a vengeance. Not a cafe was opened, and some of the restaurants, deprived of the profitable privilege of serving refreshments, closed their places entirely. Some of the old-timers say it was the fourth time in the 54 years of Atlantic City's merry life that the bars were closed on Sunday.

While intoxicated, Minnie Brooks, eighteen years old, a negress, went to her room, at 31 Pierce court, northwest, Washington, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and overturned a lighted lamp. The clothing caught on fire and before other members of the household could extinguish the flames, she had been fatally burned on the body and face. She was rushed to the Homeopathic Hospital, where she died at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. John R. Early, wife of the Salvation Army leper, arrived in Washington from her home in North Carolina Saturday night and went to his tent, on the bank of the Potomac. Early was seatedon his cot reading the Bible. Mrs. Early faltered as she neared the door and uttered a muffled sob, and an affecting scene followed. Mrs. Early will visit the camp daily, but will not touch even the flap of the tent. Early saw his child today for the first time since his illness.

Fire, which broke out in the center of the commercial district at New Orleans yesterday afternoon, swept over portions of three blocks, destroying a large number of wholesale houses, manufacturing plants and small stores. Originating at Bienville and Chartres streets, the flames worked their way north as far as Conti street and west toward Royal, bringing about a property loss of between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000 before they were finally subdued.

Two suicides occurred in York county Pa., within 24 hours. Murray O. Flinchbaugh, a cigar manufacturer, of Red Lion, Pa., was found by his wife suspended from a hitching strap on the top floor of his factory. Worry over real estate deals caused him to kill himself. Yesterday Leo Klinedinst, who lives in Spring Garden township, that county, hung himself in the barn of the Ebert farm.

"It's the best deed I ever did in my life, and I do not regret it. They can do what they like with me now," remarked J. M. Brown, aged 70, of Manson, Iowa, after beating out the brains of his daughter-in-law with an Indian club. Brown and his wife have had stormy relations with the daughter-in-law. A year ago she threw the elder woman downstairs. George Brown, the son, is in Colorado Springs, dying of consumption. Yesterday in a quarrel the younger Mrs. Brown threatened the elder one's life, and Brown, thinking she meant it, grasped the club and struck her on the head.

James O'Brien returned to Manchester, Conn., Saturday after an absence of 15 years and learned that his wife had remarried a man named Smith, she having supposed that O'Brien was dead. Mrs. Smith fainted when she saw her first husband who, after learning the facts, left town. When O'Brien married in Manchester he had a wife living in Rockville, it is said. Subsequently he disappeared, leaving the second Mrs. O'Brien with two children, the youngest a week old. Mrs. O'Brien waited 14 years to hear from her husband and then concluded that he was dead.

Two Chicago men on Saturday fought on top of a blast furnace for a pretty Polish girl whom they both loved.

The new scale of wages accepted in the Pennsylvania Iron and Steel Mills makes a 10 per cent reduction.

Considerable interest centers in the state election to be held in Vermont tomorrow, this being the first of the states to hold a state election.

George P. Rowell, of New York, prominent for many years in the newspaper advertising business, died Friday night at the Poland Spring House, Maine aged 70 years.

The flood situation throughout South Carolina on Saturday shows considerable improvement. Water in the various rivers and creeks is falling rapidly, and considerable progress is being made in the matter of repairing railroad and county bridges.

That Peter Thompson Coyle, of Baltimore, was murdered, robbed and thrown from a sleeping car near Stanton, Del., early Saturday morning, is the belief of Coroner Callaway, of Wilmington. Mr. Coyle was found lying in his night clothes on the track and died soon after.

Mr. Lewis H. Redner, the well-known real estate agent, of Philadelphia, died yesterday in the Marlborough-Blenheim at Atlantic City, where he had been staying for his health, for several weeks. He had long been associated with many of the Episcopal church institutions in Philadelphia.

James R. Keene's filly Maskette, by Disguise-Biturica, won the rich Futurity at Sheepshead Bay Saturday afternoon. John E. Madden's Sir Martin ran second, and Mr. Keene's colt Helmet, finished third. There were nine starters, and Maskette won in a gallop by three lengths in 1:11 1-5 for six furlongs straight away, which equaled the record for the race by the mighty Colin last year. Maskette's share of the stakes was $25,000, while Mr. Keene's total winnings, including breeding fees and Helmet's third money, were $28,634.

DEATH OF GENERAL STEWART.

Gen Alexander P. Stewart, one of the last two surviving lieutenant-generals of the Confederate army (General Simon B. Buckner being the other), died at his home at Biloxi, Miss., yesterday. Although he was in his eighty-seventh year and suffering from the infirmities of old age, General Stewart's death came as a shock to his relatives and friends.

A native of Tennessee, General Stewart lived the greater part of his life in that state, but of late had been making his home in Biloxi. General Stewart spent the last years of his life devoting himself largely to literary work.

He graduated from West Point in the noted class of 1842—U. S. Grant was a classmate, along with Stonewall Jackson and George B. McClellan. General Stewart saw strenuous service on many battlefields in the civil war, in which he made a notable record.

At the close of the war he was in command of the army of Tennessee. In 1868 he became professor of mathematics and natural philosophy in the University of Mississippi and chancellor of the university in 1874. This position he held until 1886.

Among the honors conferred upon Gen. Stewart during his life time was his election to a fellowship in the Royal Historical Society of Great Britian.

Strike Off.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 31.—The Alabama coal miners' strike, which started with the trouble at the Republic mine and spread until it involved a reign of bloodshed and lawlessness, was called off today by President Lewis and the executive Board of the United Mine Workers of America, who have been in conference with Alabama mining locals for the last three days. The miners were ordered back to work.

The U. M. W. A. officials took occasion in their order to severely arraign Gov. Comer for his activity in the strike. They condemn him for his order prohibiting the miners from living in tents and denying the strikers the right to hold meetings. The differences between the miners and operators will probably be arbitrated.

The Hains Case.

New York, Aug. 31.—When the mother of Captain Peter C. Hains and Jenkins Hains visits them some day this week at the Long Island city jail it is understood that a final agreement will be reached as to the advisability of adopting an insanity plea as ground for defense in the trial of the two for the killing of William E. Annis. It is said by close friends of the Hains family that Captain Hains' mother has long believed that his mind was weakening and that she had feared he might kill Annis. She has agreed, it is declared, to take the stand and tell the jury of this belief if the attorneys decide that insanity is the plea that is to be used. T. Jenkins Hains had a long conference with attorney Shay yesterday in his cell. He is surprised to think that the public blames him for the killing of Annis.

New York, Aug. 31.—District Attorney Darrin, of Queens county, today called on District Attorney Jerome to consult him in regard to the prosecution of Capt. Hains and his brother. Darrin believes that the defense of the Hains case will be similar to that in the Thaw case.

District Attorney Darrin today notified counsel for the Hains' brothers that he would move the trial of the brothers on Monday, October 5. The case for the prosecution is almost ready.

Abdul Aziz.

Tangier, Aug. 31.—Tangier is anxiously awaiting news from the coast cities as to the operations of Abdul Aziz's reorganized army, which is again attacking the forces of Mulai Hafid, the newly proclaimed sultan. It is thought that Mulai may yet be defeated.

The news of the defeat of Caid Gaicue, one of Mulai's chief leaders, by the Shargna tribesmen, and the successful operations of Mtougi, a tribal chieftain who recently joined Abdul's army, near Morocco city, was a surprise to this city, where it was generally supposed Mulai's recent victories had been decisive and that Abdul had given up the fight.

Advices from Kasbah Rechid, whither Abdul fled instead of going to the coast, say that the former sultan is confident of regaining his power and is contemplating a return to Morocco city should Mtougi succeed in investing this place.

Cotton broke into new low ground when October sold under 850 in New York today. The range in prices at the start was 3 to 6 points lower,

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Of the 61 republican delegates in the Eighth congressional district of Virginia about one half were present when Mr. W. H. Eggborn, of Culpeper, called the congressional nominating convention to order at 1:20 o'clock today in Sarepta Hall.

Without any preliminaries the roll of delegates was called by Mr. John W. Gregg, the secretary.

Mr. Eggborn then stated that this was an adjourned meeting of the convention which met here last spring and adjourned for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress.

Dr Brooke, of Fairfax, moved that nominations be made by counties, and when Alexandria was called Joseph L. Crupper placed in nomination John W. Gregg, of Purcellville, Loudoun county, and in quick succession M. K. Lowery, of Stafford; N. O. Nichol, of Loudoun; Garrison Beckwith, of King George, and others seconded the nomination and Mr. Gregg was finally nominated by acclamation. Mr. Lowery and Mr. Crupper were appointed a committee to notify Mr. Gregg and the nominee made a brief address, in which he thanked the delegates for the honor conferred upon him and said that stranger things had happened than a republican victory in the Eighth district of Virginia, if not this year, at least at no great distant date. His mention of Taft's name was heartily applauded, as was his speech at its close.

Col. S. Brown Allen, of Augusta county, was then requested to address the convention and started in with a severe arraignment of the democratic puty, which he said was in the position of a party begging to be excused for its past errors, and held up the republican party as the party of progress and prosperity. He derided Bryan's free silver ideas and in this connection said that he had come to the conclusion that the brain of the average democratic statesman would rattle in a mustard seed. The democrats, he said, are now trying to steal the products of republican brains. His mention of Roosevelt's name was followed by silence on the part of the delegates but the name of Taft met with considerable applause. Col. Allen closed by painting a word picture of the democratic party, which he said is full of promises but never fulfills them. He closed with a bitter excoriation of the democratic party and predicted that its epitaph will be written on November 3.

The convention then adjourned after having been in session less than an hour and the district committee met and received the resignation of W. B. King, of Loudoun, as a member of the state executive committee from this district and the vacancy was filled by the re-election of Joseph L. Crupper, of this city. Mr. Crupper addressed the committee, assuring them that he would do all in his power to perfect the organization in the Eighth district and would co-operate with the district committee and Candidate Gregg all along the line.

Still a Mystery.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 31.—Thwarted at every turn by the determination of the Baltimore set to prevent a solution of the mystery surrounding the shooting of Charles G. Roberts while on the boardwalk last Wednesday night, the local police were almost at a standstill today. As a result they have turned to the possible clew furnished by Talbot Williams, of Pittsburg, cousin of W. S. G. Williams, who last night declared that he saw his Baltimore relative at Atlantic City on the night Roberts was shot.

While the officers attach little significance to Williams's alibi, based solely on the word of his negro butler, they have made little progress in their efforts to trace his movements and today complain that the Baltimore police have shown little desire to assist in a probe which many believe would result in some startling disclosures in Baltimore high society.

Roberts' condition early today was exceedingly grave. The bullet, which at first was thought to have inflicted only a minor injury, is now known to have shattered the victim's liver and it is said that septic poison has set in with the result that death seems inevitable.

While still following the line offered by the contradictory stories of W. S. G. Williams, detectives from this city are today investigating the whereabouts on the day of the crime of other male members of Mrs. Williams' family.

Further efforts today to get a statement from Virgil Jackson, the negro chair pusher, failed utterly. The negro still sticks to the story he first told of the masked highwayman and declines absolutely to be drawn into any discussion of other theories.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 31.—The published reports that Talbot G. Williams, of Roland Park, Baltimore, called at police headquarters here and stated that he had seen and spoken to his cousin, W. S. G. Williams, near the Atlantic City railroad station on the night Charles E. Roberts was mysteriously shot while riding with Mrs. Williams, is untrue, according to statements made today by Police Superintendent McQuaid. McQuaid said no one had seen him in connection with the boardwalk mystery.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 31.—Smarting under the criticism sent out from Atlantic City that the Baltimore police department has not cooperated with the department of that city in trying to solve the boardwalk mystery, the Board of Police Commissioners, of which Col. Sherlock Swann, brother-in-law of Mrs. Williams, the central figure in the case, is president, today summoned Marshal Farnan and Detective Pumphrey and demanded to know if such was the case and the reason therefor. The commissioners also wanted to know if the members of the department had been hampered in any way by orders from the board. Marshal Farnan said the Baltimore police had done everything in the case that they had been asked to do. Captain Pumphrey corroborated the statement that it was late Thursday afternoon when the first information was received in Baltimore. He immediately assigned detectives on the case and had given Detective Harry Wilson of Atlantic City all the assistance possible. Col. Swann told the police officials that he wanted them to work on all information that came to their hand, even if it was necessary to use every detective in the city.

Upon the discovery this afternoon that the Talbott Williams story from Pittsburg in which the cousin of W. S. Williams was reported as having said he saw the latter in Atlantic City on Wednesday night was a myth the Atlantic City police returned to the matter of W. S. G. Williams alibi. They refuse to abandon this fact, alleging that it is the most likely clew they have.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Stock Exchange gambling will likely be the particular evil which democratic orators in New York will denounce this fall. The democratic platform will probably contain a plank favoring laws to end such gambling, and the prospect is not making republican leaders feel comfortable.

New York State prohibition leaders threaten to complicate the republican tangle in the State. They are talking of nominating Governor Hughes on their own ticket whether the republicans renominate him or not.

President Thomas of the New York stock exchange declared today that it is unlikely that the governing committee would ask Thomas Lawson of Boston to give testimony in regard to the wash sale deals of August 22, although Lawson had expressed a willingness to testify.

A demand for the resignation of General DuPont as a member of the republican national executive committee on the ground that his connection with an indicted trust unfits him for the place is today made by Alfred O. Crosier, a prominent republican lawyer of Wilmington, Del., and author of the recent anti-Wall street novel "The Magnet."

Detectives and police are trying to ferrit out the thieves who last night entered the summer home of Postmaster General von Meyer, near Hamilton, Mass., and robbed him of a beautiful collection of antique jewelry purchased in the continent at a cost of $15.000. While Postmaster General von Meyer and his wife were dining out entrance was effected by means of a second story window.

"Atlantic City will stay closed, in conformity with the law, so long as I am in the executive chair," declared Governor Fort at Sear Girt, N. J., today when told the results of the effort to men force the laws yesterday. A town meeting has been called for to take municipal affairs out of the hands of the present administration. The republican organization is making a frantic effort to side track the movement. There was only one arrest for violating the Sunday laws yesterday.

The Central jail, at Calcutta, where the most of the men arrested for conspiracies against the British rule are imprisoned is under a special guard of troops today as the result of the discovery of a plot for a wholesale jail delivery. Narrenden Nath Gessain, a high caste Hindoo prisoner, arrested for his revolutionary utterances, revealed the plot and in the fight inside the jail that followed his disclosures, he was shot dead by Governor General Kitchener. There were thirty-three native conspirators involved in the uprising and five of these were fatally wounded in the fight. European prisoners aided the warders in overpowering the conspirators.

Eight fires in tenement houses in the Yorkville section of New York between 12.30 and 5.20 o'clock this morning were started by incendiaries bent on robbery.

Republican extravagance in the administration of the national and state governments was attacked this afternoon in the state fair grounds at St. Paul, Minn., by Mr. W. J. Bryan, and he positively declared that there was no hope for the cause of the people unless the present system was overturned.

Mr. Taft's whirlwind trip through Ohio is credited at Middle Bass Island, O., with a political significance which is just dawning on state and national politicians. It is taken to mean that Taft intends to take the bit and make his personal campaign in his own way, regardless of National Chairman Hitchcock.

A formal order by Judge Holt appointing Charles A. Littlefield receiver for the A. O. Brown & Co. was filed today in New York in the office of the clerk of the United States District Court. The bond is fixed at $250,000. The liabilities of the firm are estimated at $3,000,000 and assets at $500,000. Littlefield issued a statement today saying he will thoroughly investigate the business methods of Brown & Co.

William Jennings Bryan and Governor John A. Johnson met for the first time since the convention in the railway station at St. Paul this morning, and within fifteen minutes a common understanding was reached and it was decided that Johnson would aid Bryan all he could in Minnesota, while in return Bryan agreed to make his followers "play fair" with the guberatorial candidate.

George W. Fitzgerald, arrested a week ago on a warrant charging him with the theft of $173,000 from the United States sub-treasury, was arraigned before Judge Chetlain in Chicago today. Assistant States Attorney Barbour, who is conducting the prosecution, says he will not present all the evidence in his possession, merely aiming to present enough to warrant the court in holding the defendant.

DIED.

Sunday, August 30, 1908, ELEANOR B., daughter of Leonard and Bertie Weisner, aged 3 years and 6 days.

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O'er the spoils that death has won,
We would, at this solemn meeting,
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Though cast down we're not forsaken,
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THE ATLANTIC CITY TRAGEDY.

Acting upon information from Baltimore, the nature of which the police refuse to disclose, the detectives who have been trying to find a definite clue to the identity of the man who shot Charles B. Roberts while he was riding with Mrs. Williams on the boardwalk at Atlantic City on Wednesday night, have directed their energies to the location of a man whose name has not yet figured in the case. It is known that the man sought entered the office of Mr. Roberts in Baltimore within the month and threatened to kill him unless he ceased paying marked attention to Mrs. Williams. The identity of this man is known to the detectives who have been working on the case in Baltimore.

The police have learned that the man to whom suspicion now seems to point registered at the Brighton Hotel, at Atlantic City, within a week of the date of the shooting. This new and important figure in the case is well-known in Baltimore club circles.

Mr. W. S. G. Williams has convinced the Baltimore and Atlantic City detectives that he was at his home, in Baltimore county, at the time of the shooting of Roberts.

Surgeons at Atlantic City performed an operation on Roberts on Saturday but could not remove the bullet.

Mr. Thomas Deford, brother of Mrs. Williams, interviewed at Narragansett Pier, declared that the idea that the attack was anything but a hold-up for purposes of robbery is preposterous.

Mrs. Roberts has issued a statement that the man who shot her husband was a stranger and that he was actuated solely by the desire to rob, and stamping as false all other theories.

Mrs. Williams returned from Atlantic City to her country home at Long Green, Baltimore county, yesterday. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. B. F. Deford. She again declared her belief in the robber theory and expressed the hope that her husband would not be further connected with the case.

Mrs. Roberts and her two sisters, Miss Sloan and Mrs. E. Chermont, are still at the City Hospital, at Atlantic City, under the same roof with Mr. Roberts, and expect to remain there indefinitely.

The theory that the shooting of Roberts was the result of an attempted hold-up is gaining ground.

The Atlantic City police say there are no new clues to indicate who shot Roberts.

"I hope they will catch the man who shot me," said Mr. Roberts to his wife, who was permitted to see him yesterday, for the first time since the shooting. Dr. Darnall said only one operation had been performed on Mr. Roberts, and that the only complication feared was blood poisoning.

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MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 31, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:29 and sets at 6:31. High water at 11:17 a. m. and 11.37 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Tuesday; light easterly winds.

GATHERED THEM IN.

Police headquarters last night had the appearance of a first class barroom when Constable A. J. Payne, of Fairfax county, arrived about 8 o'clock in a wagon loaded with "live and dead ones" and with him was George Powell, colored, engineer at the Paff shoe factory, whom he charged with unlawfully selling liquor in Fairfax county, near Franconia. A colored camp meeting is in progress at that place and Powell, or the one for whom he is agent, thought it a good time to do business. Judging from the returns the first day the idea was a correct one. When the wagon was stopped in front of the police station the contents were placed in a cell. There were 175 empty bottles, 20 full bottles of beer, 1 full quart bottle of whisky, 1 full quart of gin and one pint of gin. Those which were full still had the frost on them and were eyed eagerly on a "Bird law" Sunday night. Powell says he was giving it away. If such a statement is true this is indeed a generous world. A man hires a team and drives at least twenty miles to relive some thirsty worshipers at a camp meeting. Powell was turned over to the Fairfax authorities and his trial took place this morning at the store of M. R. O'Sullivan before Justice Wright. Powell was assessed $26, fine and costs—an easy ending of a grave offense.

OYSTERS AND BIRDS.

Tomorrow, September 1, the oyster season will open in the Chesapeake bay and Potomac river, and oyster boats are all ready, for the prospects of a good catch are said to be excellent. Practically all authorities agree that this season's crop will be as large as that of the last.

The sora and reed bird season will also open tomorrow, and the marshes nearby are said to be full of these birds. This promises to be one of the best seasons for these birds for some time as there has been a luxurious growth this summer of the weeds and grasses upon which they feed. The hardware establishments are being depleted today of shot and shell by the gunners preparatory to their entering the marshes tomorrow morning. Some of the gunners will not wait till morning but will hie themselves to the wild oats tonight and before daybreak will be bombarding them. The tides are making high and the oats are well grown and the prospect of good gunning is excellent. The cry, "Look out how you shoot" will be heard for some days.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Lee Downs, charged with begging on the streets, was fined $5.

R. O. Wood, charged with a similar offense, was dismissed.

Gus Robinson, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $5.

Joseph Davis, colored, charged with assaulting Lucy Sheppard, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

A white man, charged with disorderly conduct was dismissed.

James Welch, charged with a similar offense, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear

Bertha Johnson, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed, the plaintiff failing to appear.

Aaron Blackburn, colored, charged with discharging a pistol in the city limits, was fined $5

Dallas Washington, colored, charged with ill-treating the fourteen-year-old daughter of Emma Stewart, colored, was dismissed.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Miss Emma J. Price, who died Wednesday, took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Theophilus Ballenger, 305 Cameron street. Rev. J. R. Sevier, of the Second Presbyterian church, conducted the services, and the interment was in the Presbyterian Cemetery The pallbearers were her nephews, Messrs. Frank Smith, Robert Downham, Francis Downham, Harry Downham, Steuart Smith, and Walter Price, the latter of Washington.

Mrs. Philena J. Wiley's funeral took place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from her home on Shooters Hill, yesterday. Rev. Mr. Bell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, of Del Ray, conducted the services. The interment was in Ivy Hill Cemetery.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducted the funeral services over the remains of Edwin E. Germann, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Germann, which were held at 4 o'clock yesterday.

The funeral of the late J. Harvey Standiford, formerly of this city who died, in Washington on Friday, took place in that city this evening and was attended by a large number of friends from this city.

WRIT OF ERROR.

A writ of error and supersedeas was on Saturday allowed in the Court of Appeals in the case of Luna Park company against Goodrich, from the circuit court of Alexandria county. The plaintiff in this case was hurt by some amusement device in the park and recovered $2,000.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

Joseph Wilkins, a negro, nearly eight years old, was found dead in bed at his home, 418 south St. Asaph street, at an early hour Sunday morning. The discovery was made by one of the occupants of the house. Coroner S. B. Moore, after investigating the circumstances attending his death, issued a certificate of death from natural causes.

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ELKS' DRAMATIC CLUB.

Considerable interest is being manifested by launch owners and others in the complimentary excursion to be given to Marshall Hall by the club on Thursday, September 3rd, and judging from the demand for tickets the excursion will be very largely attended. The prizes offered to different classes of boats are three handsome cups, which are now on exhibition in R. C. Acton & Son's window. A meeting of the boat owners and dramatic club is called for tonight at 8 o'clock at Elks' Hall. The baseball game between the Elks and Elks' Dramatic Club promises to be a treat for all the "fans" as both teams are evenly matched. Another feature will be the "cakewalk." Four of the best colored couples in the city are to compete for the prize; and then the "watermelon eating contest" between colored people. It is a well-known fact that colored people are lovers of melons, and to see three men enjoying themselves to their heart's content is alone worth the trip.

TREATED AT PASTEUR INSTITUTE.

Mr. DeW. Aitcheson lost a valuable horse a day or two ago from blood poisoning. It will be remembered that a few weeks ago a dog said to have been mad was at large in the First ward and was killed by Officer Gill after it had done considerable damage. It was thought at the time that the dog had bitten the horse although the owner does not think so. The animal had been treated by Dr. Greenfield, of Washington, ever since the fire at the stable of DeW. Aitcheson some weeks ago and the owner thinks that the horse was burned inwardly at the time. Mr. Julian Fogg, a blacksmith, who has been shoeing the horse, has had occasion to place his hands in its month and has been advised to take treatment at the Pasteur Institute, which he is now doing. Dr. Greenfield stated to the owner that the death of the animal was the result of the injuries received at the fire which culminated in blood poison. He laughed at the statement that the animal was bitten by a mad dog.

THE CARNIVAL.

The old fair grounds presented a scene of real merryment Saturday night, the occasion being the opening of the Eagles' Carnival. While all of the attractions were not in readiness yet there was enough going on to fully satisfy those in attendance that it is strictly moral, interesting and instructive, just as advertised, and being conducted on business principles. Several concessions and shows arrived today. Tonight the Eagles of Washington, headed by a brass band, will be in attendance and a delegation in automobiles besides the Order of Owls of this city. All may expect a big time tonight and every night this week as several other organizations of this city and Washington will attend as will also the different fire companies. So be sure and not make any other engagement than to be on the old fair grounds. Big confetti battle nightly.

WATERMELONS PLENTIFUL.

Watermelons are plentiful, vessels loaded with them arriving at the wharves daily. Some of the dealers in this city are buying and selling them as melons raised by Mr. John Swift, who lives on the opposite side of the river. The scheme works all right if they are good and sweet, but if they are not, then the fault is laid at Mr. Swift's door. The fact is that Mr. Swift has not raised a watermelon this year and has brought none to market.

EXCITEMENT ON KING STREET.

This is an age of undue excitement, especially at the noise from a shot gun. As was proven last night when a noise something like a pistol shot was heard on King street between Pitt and St. Asaph. People rushed to the scene but on arriving found that some practical joker had placed railroad torpedoes on the track and the northbound electric car had exploded them.

EXCURSION.

The District Assembly, Knights of Labor, will give their annual excursion to Marshall Hall on Monday next (Labor Day). The excursions of the District Assembly have always been enjoyable, and that on Monday will be equally as pleasant as those of past years.

SUNDAY.

Yesterday was a beautiful day, with bright skies and a most enjoyable temperature. The churches had larger congregations, as many people have returned from their vacations and the services were conducted according to Saturday's announcement.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

The city democratic committee will meets at the Opera House cafe tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock to look after political affairs in this city. The matter of the formation of a Bryan and Kern club will also come up.

SORA IN ABUNDANCE.

Reports from down the river say that on account of the present condition of the weather sora are in abundance and that many are being killed. Nearly every one owning a gun is said to be enjoying the sport.—[Fredericksburg Journal.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

As heretofore stated the new City Council will meet at 12 o'clock tomorrow when an organization of the two boards will be perfected after which the mayor will take the oath of office for a second term. It is believed that the present Council officers will be re-elected.

RIVER NOTES,

The schooner Beulahland, which recently discharged a cargo of sand at this port, has cleared.

The schooner Lottie L. Thomas is being loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co. for Bushwood.

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EXCITEMENT IN AN ALLEY.

People living on south Alfred street were startled about nine o'clock last night by the discharge of a pistol in Friendship alley. A crowd soon gathered at the mouth of the alley, but no one had the nerve to enter until Officer Nicholson appeared and led the way. He learned that the pistol had been discharged by Aaron Blackburn, an elderly colored man, and he took him in custody. The accused was brought before the Police Court this morning when he stated that he discharged the pistol because he has reason to believe some persons was about to break into his house, witnesses, however, said a woman figured in the case. Blackburn was fined $5.

WOULD-BE PEDESTRIAN.

A prominent King street merchant who is not much of a pedestrian gazed upon the beautiful weather yesterday as he arose from his bed and thought he would carry out an inborn desire and walk to Mount Vernon. He started before midday but being unused to the country was lost on the road and never reached the desired spot. He returned to the city about 7 o'clock last night and related his experience to his friends.

CHARGE DISMISSED.

On Saturday night Officers Nicholson and Arrington arrested Dallas Washington, colored, for whom a warrant was issued January 19, 1907, charging him with assault on the 14-year-old daughter of Emma Stewart, colored. The case was called in the Police Court this morning, when Washington was dismissed. Mr. R. D. Brumback appeared for the defense.

CAPTURED AND RETURNED.

Detective H. M. Wood, of Atlanta, Ga., stopped in this city Saturday night on his return from Harrisburg, Pa., where he went to take back to Atlanta the negro murderer, Moses Houston, alias George Carl. Carl was convicted of murder in Atlanta in 1901 and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. He escaped in 1904 and was recaptured in Harrisburg, Pa., a few days ago.

A TEMPTING DISH.

Mr. Louis Brill sent to this office today from the Opera House cafe a dish of delicious fried oysters. The oysters served at this popular restaurant have always been justly esteemed, and the proprietor is determined to maintain their reputation.

PERSONAL.

During the offertory at Christ Church yesterday Miss Janet Rowen sang very sweetly "I heard the voice of Jesus say."

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Summers are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Uhler.

Rev. P. P. Phillips and family have returned from Rye Beach, N. H., where they spent the past month.

Mr. John S. Blackburn and his daughter, Miss Charlotte M. Blackburn, have returned from a week's visit to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. Peyton and little Miss Lucy Peyton have returned from Ocean City, Md.

Mr. Llewellyn Hoxton, who spent the summer traveling in Europe, has returned to his home on Seminary Hill.

Miss Eva Dent is at Delaplane, where she will spend the month of September with Mrs. George Delaplane.

Dr. Angus Crawford and Miss Alice Crawford, who have been at Atlantic City during the past few weeks, are visiting relatives in Canada.

Miss Hannah Wineberg, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. A. Katz, on Fairfax street.

Miss Kate Ellis Fulton, of Aberdeen, Ohio, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. T. F. Ellis, at Mt. Vernon, for several weeks.

Mrs. F. C. Rydstrom and her two interesting boys, Frederick and Richard, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. F. Ellis, at Mt. Vernon, returned to St. Louis Tuesday.

Mrs. John Brenner and son, George, are visiting friends in Strasburg.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Crump have gone to Atlantic City for a week.

Mr. DeW. Aitcheson has returned from Atlantic City.

Mr. Joseph H. Byrne and wife and daughter, Miss Madeline, have returned from Ocean View.

Miss Laura Smith has returned from Fairfax county.

Mrs. Laura R. Sullivan, of Wilmington, N. C., is visiting her brother, Mr. Ephraim Cheshire, on upper Duke street.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler have returned from Asbury Park.

Mrs. B. W. Jamieson, who has been at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., has returned to her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smoot have returned from Hot Springs.

Mrs. Charles Ogle and Mrs. George Konig, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Maggie Schwab at her home on north Royal street.

Mr. W. N. Underwood, of the Fredericksburg Journal, was in this city today.

Mr. J. C. Smoot has returned from Chicago where he attended the National Association of Tanners. He left his son, Mr. Charles Smoot, in Chicago to represent the firm of C. C. Smoot & Son's Co. at the National Shoe and Leather Market Fair now being held there. Mr. Smoot represents the fourth generation of this family which has built up this important business in Alexandria.

Judge Norton has returned from southwest Virginia where he has been on business.

Sam Brent, esq., of Alexandria, was in Warrenton Thursday recognizing and being recognized by friends of long ago. Time has touched him lightly so he was easily recognized.—[Fauquier Democrat.

A letter from Warrenton says: Mr. and Mrs. Courtland H. Smith, of Alexandria, have rented the place of Mrs. John Hoge, and will be in town for some time. They have a large stable of their fine horses here, and will remain here for the hunting season as well as the horse show.

Mr. C. F. Creighton and bride have returned from their wedding trip.

Mrs. B. L. Jones, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting Mrs. Charles M. Newton and Miss Mattie Jones on King street.

Miss Mabel Glinn, of Glinn Heights, Richmond, is the guest of Miss Ruth V. Henderson, in this city.

Mr. A. G. Hutchinson, of Herndon, is in the city today in company with Mr. H. P. Dodge, chairman of the republican congressional convention. Mr. Hutchinson is a Bryan democrat, and Mr. Dodge's appearance in this city speaks for itself.

Mr. C. E. Jones has gone to Winchester on business.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter has returned from Atlantic City and occupied his pulpit in Grace Church yesterday.

Mr. Harry S. Brown, of the Southern Railway, has returned from Atlantic City.

Miss Mamie C. Brown, of 1013 King street, is visiting her friend, Miss Nellie Marshall, of Burke's Station, Fairfax county.

Ladies fine Oxfords, Court ties, and Colonial ties, Tan, Patten Kid and Vici reduced. $2.50 grade $1.98. $3.50 and $4.50 grades $2.98. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

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Tickets of excursion of Alexandria Lodge of August 27 will be honored on this occasion.

AMUSEMENTS.

The quality of the entertainments furnished the amusement lovers speaks for itself, judging from the numbers who patronize the moving picture houses. Saturday night was no exception to the rule, as hundreds were turned away from the doors. Tonight there will be an entire change of pictures and those who attend can be assured a first class show.

The Elite Motion Picture Co. will open tonight at Schuler's Hall. A special feature added to the pictures will be Messrs. Clark Bros., champion whistlers and imitators. These gentlemen are first class and give a fine entertainment.

"THE SENATE."

The Young Men's Senate will convene on September 15th, and a good many of the senators have already returned from their vacation and are getting ready for their labors of the season. No doubt the president is very carefully preparing his message with many new thoughts and suggestions. Such a body of one hundred young men in their places, will certainly start the whirl of a good social season.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, evening at 7.30 o'clock, in Confederate veterans' building.

During the month the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 38 deeds and issued 43 marriage licenses—29 to white and 14 to colored persons.

Work at the glass factories, as heretofore stated, will be resumed tomorrow with the prospect of a good season. The opening of these factories puts a large force of men to work.

The first unofficial flight of the Wright aeroplane will be made at Fort Myer the latter part of this week. Signal Corps officers at Fort Myer propose to test the new army dirigible balloon by flying over the Potomac river to Washington or to city.

The army tug Lieut. Alonzo Cushing, which lost its propeller screw as the steamer was coming into her dock at Washington on Friday evening, will be brought to the shipyard here this evening to be hauled out and have a new screw put on.

Messrs. C. C. Smoot & Sons Co., of this city, were among the exhibitors at the third annual National Shoe and Leather Market Fair, held at the Coliseum, Chicago, beginning August 27th for ten days. Mr. J. C. Smoot was one of the committee of twelve named to form a national association of tanners and was elected one of the vice presidents.

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NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the UNION BUILDING COMPANY for the election of a board of directors and for such other business as may be proper will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, September 21, 1908, at 12.30 p. m.

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For colored children—Thursday and Friday, September 10 and 11, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

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MEETINGS.

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Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 31, 1908.

On a New Footing.

Mr. Absalom Foote, an eccentric old gentleman who had grown tired of life in the city, decided to move to some smaller town, free from the roar of traffic, the bustle and confusion of the thronging multitude, where he could end his days tranquilly, as became a man of his age. In casting about for a location, his eye chanced to light upon the advertisement in a village paper of one Thomas R. Foote, who wanted to dispose of his boot and shoe store at a bargain, having made up his mind to remove to the city.

"That's the very thing," he said "Selling shoes is a nice easy occupation. It will give me just enough to do to keep me from stagnating, and it won't wear me out with overwork. I'll investigate it. It's queer, though, that his name is Foote, my name is Foote, he wants to come to the city and I want to go to the country."

A visit to the little town decided him. He liked its appearance and location. He was pleased, moreover, with "Foote's Shoe Store" and bought it, good will and all, at a bargain.

"Well," said the other Mr. Foote, "you won't have to change the sign."

"No," he answered slowly. "I'll just add a little to it."

The next day he added this, just below the sign: "This place has changed feet."

A Psychic Phenomenon.

An extraordinary incident is connected with Professor von Herkomer's famous painting, "The Last Muster," which was the picture of its year at the academy.

One morning soon after the exhibition was opened the artist was astonished to receive a letter from a lady, a perfect stranger, who said she was not aware until she saw "The Last Muster" at the academy on the previous day that her mother, then dead, had ever sat to the professor for her portrait.

Now, the figure in the picture was painted solely from imagination, and the artist hastened to explain this fact to his correspondent. She thereupon asked for an appointment and took an oil painting of her mother, asserting that it was a faithful representation of that lady.

The academician was astonished to perceive that he had really portrayed on his own canvas a facsimile of the figure in this other painting, although it was that of a woman whom he had never seen in his life.—London M. A. P.

Shipwrecks and Courts Martial.

The custom of holding courts martial in the British navy after every case of shipwreck has a curious origin. In 1741 the Wager, one of Commodore Anson's vessels, was wrecked off the coast of Chile, most of the crew being saved. The men and some of the junior officers held that they were no longer amenable to discipline because their pay ceased with the wreck, but the captain, whose name was Davy Cheap, differed, treated them as mutineers and shot one of his midshipmen. He was then deposed, and most of the crew made off in three of the boats. Later when it was proposed to proceed against the so called mutineers the law officers of the crown decided that the men had been correct in their view. This discovery led to the framing of section 91 of the articles of war, which provides that in the case of shipwreck, destruction or capture by the enemy a ship is held to remain in commission pending inquiry by a court martial.

The Pigs of Brittany.

"Brittany is all right," the traveled man said cautiously, "but beware of the pigs there. The Breton pig is not fat and indolent like ours. He is as lean and fiery as a wolf and twice a wolf's size. All over Brittany you see him, swaggering up and down the white roads in search of roots, berries, frogs, anything—for he must forage for himself—his master never feeds him. Step out of his way, or he will snarl and leap at you.

"The Bretons are great drunkards. Sometimes they fall asleep beside the road. They awake with a sharp pain in the arm or leg, the pain of a hungry hog's teeth."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Picture Story.

Two hunters are seen walking all over the moving picture.

They think they are following bear tracks.

Suddenly the foremost hunter stops with a start.

"By gum," he shouts, "them ain't b'ar's tracks at all; them's the slide man's dirty thumb marks."—Bohemian Magazine.

The $1,500 Kind.

"Ah, that's pretty!" said Mr. Snooks, looking over a number of architectural designs. "What is that?"

"That," said the architect, "is a $1,500 bungalow."

"What will it cost to build it?" asked Mr. Snooks.

"About $8,000," said the architect.—Judge's Library.

A Redhot Flood.

An example of mixed metaphor was heard at a seamen's meeting at South Shields, an enthusiastic speaker urging the crowd to "take the tide by the flood and grasp it red hot."—London Chronicle.

The Secret.

Blobbs—There is only one thing a woman loves better than to be told a secret. Slobbs—What is that? Blobbs—To find it out for herself.—Philadelphia Record.

Beautiful this thought and beautiful the language wherewith Sir Philip Sidney gave it expression, "They are never alone who are accompanied by noble thoughts."

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She Hated Garrick.

Mrs. Clive was eminent as an actress on the London stage before Garrick appeared, and as his blaze of excellence threw all others into comparative insignificance she never forgave him and took every opportunity of venting her spleen. She was coarse, rude and violent in her temper and spared nobody.

One night as Garrick was performing "King Lear" she stood behind the scenes to observe him and, in spite of the roughness of her nature, was so deeply affected that she sobbed one minute and abused him the next, and at length, overcome by his pathetic touches, she hurried from the place with the following extraordinary tribute to the universality of his powers: "Hang him! I believe he could act a gridiron."—T. P.'s Weekly.

What Is Education?

Herbert Spencer tells us in one short, pregnant sentence that the function of education is to prepare us for complete living.

A true chord is touched by Sydney Smith when he urges the importance of happiness as an aid to education. He says, "If you make children happy now, you make them happy twenty years hence by the memory of it."

Equally wise are the words of Sir John Lubbock: "Knowledge is a pleasure as well as a power. It should lead us all to try with Milton to behold the bright countenance of truth in the still air of study."

A Cruel Insinuation.

Stern Old Lady—They tell me, madam, your husband is continually smoking dreadfully—

Young Woman (bursting into tears)—I don't believe it, your horrid old thing!

Old Lady (astounded)—What's the matter with the woman?

Officious Bystander—Her husband's dead.—Baltimore American.

Hard to Decide.

Smithers—I am going to have my picture taken. A good deal depends upon the pose, don't you know. Now, what kind of a position do you think would be the best for me? Brownrig—Well, I don't know. I was going to say with your back to the camera, but then your hair is rather thin behind.—Boston Transcript.

It Was Tantamount.

"Has she told you that she loved you?"

"Not in so many words. She merely asked me what life insurance I carried."

Fortune gives too much to many, but to none enough.—Martial.

Low Week-End Round Trip Fares.

Continuing each Saturday and Sunday to and including October 4, the Southern Railway announces the sale of low rate week-end tickets for the round trip, Washington and Alexandria to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate points, and from these stations to Alexandria and Washington, limited returning until Monday following date of sale.

Race Meet and Labor Day Celebration, Burke, Va., Monday, September 7, 1908.

Account above, Southern Railway announces reduced rates from territory Washington to Manassas, inclusive, to Burke, Va., and return; tickets on sale Monday, September 7th, 1908, final limit September 7, 1908.

Special train will be operated leaving Washington 11.10 a. m., date in question, arrive Burke 11:55 a. m.; leave Burke 6:15 p. m. same afternoon, arrive Washington 7:00 p. m. Those from south of Burke will have advantage of good regular train service.

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PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 12 o'clock noon FRIDAY, September 4, for cement, sand and gravel to be used in the construction of a vitrified brick pavement on Columbus street from King street to Cameron street. Specifications can be had at the office of the City Engineer.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.
aug25 td

ESTABLISHMENT OF HARBOR LINES, Alexandria, Va.—U. S. Engineer Office, 22nd and K streets, N. W., Washington, D. C., Aug 12, 1908. A public hearing will be given in Chamber of Commerce of Alexandria, Va., Sept. 4, 1908, at 11 a. m., to all persons interested in establishment of harbor lines for port of Alexandria, Va. Maps showing proposed harbor lines are on view here and at Chamber of Commerce, Alexandria, Va. SPENCER COSBY, Major, Engrs.
aug12,13,14,15,sep2,3

OFFICE CITY SCHOOL BOARD, Alexandria, Va., Aug. 27, 1908.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Clerk of the City School Board, for the Committee on Finance and Accounts, until FRIDAY, September 4, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing EIGHTY TONS or more of WHITE ASH COAL—seventy stove and ten nut size—and FIFTY-FIVE TONS OF CUMBERLAND COAL—for the public schools.

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Proposals to be addressed to the Clerk of the City School Board. aug27 1w

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of August, 1908

William N. Amory, complainant, vs. Washington Steamboat Company, Limited; Elizabeth Lyon and the Acre Realty Company, defendants. Chancery attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to attach the following described piece of property, situated in the city of Alexandria: Beginning on the north side of King street at a point 60 feet to the eastward of Union street; thence northwardly parallel to Union street 81 feet more or less; thence eastwardly parallel to King street 70 feet; thence northwardly parallel to Union street to a point 83 feet 9½ inches north of King street; thence eastwardly parallel to King street into the river Potomac to the channel thereof; thence southwardly with said channel to King street extended in said river, and thence in straight line to the beginning; to set aside certain fraudulent conveyances of same, and to subject same to payment of complainant's claim.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, the Washington Steamboat Company, Limited; Elizabeth Lyon and the Acre Realty Company, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the court house of this city. A copy—Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Basil D. Boteler, p. q. aug3 w4w-m

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 30th day of July, 1908.

Cananea-Pittsburg Copper Company, a corporation, vs. George J. Easterday. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to attach 7,800 shares of the defendant in the Cananea-Pittsburg Copper Company, and subject the same to the claim of the plaintiff.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George J. Easterday, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Norton & Boothe, p. q. jy30 w4w th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 14th day of August, 1908.

John T. Butts vs. Alice W. Butts, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce by the complainant from the defendant on the ground of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Alice W. Butts, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, P. Q. aug14 w4wfri

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 21st day of August, 1908.

Mary E. Montague, complainant, vs. Randolph Jerome Montague, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro for the complainant from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Randolph Jerome Montague, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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Leo P. Harlow, P. Q. aug21 w4wf

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Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 8:43, and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

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